IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant Achilefu et al.
Serial No. 10/800,531
Filing Date March 15, 2004

Examiner Jones
Group Art Unit 1618
Confirmation No. 2309

Title RECEPTOR-AVID EXOGENOUS OPTICAL CONTRAST AND

THERAPEUTIC AGENTS

Attorney Docket No. 073979.40

Cincinnati OH 45202 October 23, 2007

AMENDMENT

Responsive to the July 23, 2007 Office Action in the referenced application, Applicants submit the following response.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 3.